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For: Electron Tube And Method For Producing Same

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**  
**(Filed Concurrently With Request For Continued Examination (RCE))**

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Sir:

This paper is in response to the final Official Action dated June 29, 2004.

A petition for second and third month extensions of time together with the appropriate fees accompanies this response so that it is timely filed. The first month extension fee was previously submitted on October 29, 2004.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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